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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1892.

Vol. XLVIII. No. 9048. AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL ONDON ... ALGAB, 11 & 12, Clement Lane, Limbert Street, E. C. GROBGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTOR Ludgate Circus, E.O. BATES HERDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.O. SAMURI DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, Cannon Street, E.O. ROBBET WATSON, 150 Flat Street PARIS ANDEUROPE .- AMEDER PRINCE. 36, Rue Lafavette, Paris. NEW YORK J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CHIMAN EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 22d Street SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports senerally Bear & Black, San France AUSTRALIA TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:-GOBDON & GOTCH, Med CEVIAN :- W. M. SMITH & Co., THE had on application. APOTRIBLES Co., Colombo. SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c. :- SATLE & Co., Solere, Singapore. C. HEINEZEN CHINA: -- Mucao, A. A. DA CRUZ. Amoy, N. Mollan. Poochew, Hanga & Co. Shanglion LAME: CRAWFORD & Co., and HULT WALSH. Yokohama, LANK, DRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & Co. Banks. HONGIONG SAVINGS BANK. THE business of the above Bank is con-SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on application. INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or mire to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on PIXED DEPOSIT at 44 PER CENT. per For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1891. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL£ 500,000. Hair OFFICE - HONGKONG. Court of Directors.

No. 48. Januaro I & E. C. L. Carlo CHOW TUNG SHANG, D. GILLIES, Esq. CHANKIISHAN, Esq. | Esq. C. J. Hint, Esq. W. Worrow, Esq.

Chief Manager. GEO. W. F. PLATFAIR. Activery Committee in London. THOMAS CHEMICHARL, Esq., Mesers Dent, Palmy & Co. JOHN BUTTERY, Esq., Mesers John Buttery & Co. C. B. STUART WOETLEY, Esq., M.P. for Hallen Bankera LONDON-THE ALLIANCE BANK (LD.)

KWAN HOI CHUEN, Esq.

SCOTLAND THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF SCOTLAND: Shanghai - Advisory Committee His Kice Hen Fu | Lim Kwan Kine TURE WAS A MA KIR Tonord, CHU MING SIANO, For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of Tong Kwei Sung, Esq.

C. J. GAMOWAY. Manager: Amy - J. Anderson, Manager. Current Accounts opened. Money repurchased and collected. Advances made

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TONUKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVS FUND...... \$ 6,300,000. RESERVE LABILITY OF \$ \$10,000,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS !-J. S. Mosts, Keq. — Chairman. S.C. Midlarisen, Esq. — Deputy Chairman. T. E. Davies, Esq. Alex. McConachie,
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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. PAID-UP CAPITAL£580.000

LONDON: Head Office 10, Threadneedle Street West End Office...25, Cockepur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN

AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit,

Buys and Selis Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to e E. W. RUTTER.

Hongkong, August 19, 1891.

Intimations:

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STRAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FEYHE Fifty-first Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 18 Bank ducted by the RONGKONG AND Buildings, Queen's Boad Central, on FRI-DAY, the 20th Instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and elect-The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from 16th to 29th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

T. ARNOLD. Secretary. Hongkong, January 11, 1892.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. YTHE Annual General MEETING will

be held on FRIDAY, the 29th Inst., A at 5 p.m., at the Hongkong Hores. A SPOON COMPETITION will take place on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, at 3.15 p.m. Ranges 200 and 500, Any

ED. ROBINSON. Acting Hone Secretary. Hongkong, January 26, 1892.

THE CHINESE NEW YEAR HOLI-DAYS will be Observed at this Office and the Kowloon Customs Stations from Board & Lodging & mouth (1 person) the 29TH OF THE 12TH MOON to the 6TH DAY OF THE 18T- MOON, at 8 a.m. (29th J. McLEAVY BROWN

OUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

Commissioner of Customs. for Kowloon and District. CUSTOM HOUSE. Kowloon, 20th January, 1892.

OHINESE NEW YEAR-BANK HOLIDAY.

TN accordance with Ordinance No. 6 o 1875, the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transcotion of Public Business on SATURDAY NEXT. the 30th Instant.

India, London and China." JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. For the Chartered Bank of India. Australia and China, T. H. WHITEHEAD.

Manager, Hongkong. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. F. DE BOVIS.

Chief Manager. For the ! New Oriental Bank Corporation. Limited. E. W. RUTTER, Manager Hongkong. For the Comptoir National d'Escompte de

Paris. L. GLENAT, Acting Agent, Hongkong. For the Bank of China, Japan, and the Straits, Ltd., Hongkong,

DE WESTLEY LAYTON, Scoretary. For 'The National Bank of China, Limited,' GEO, W. F. PLAYFAIR,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 26, 1892.

THE DAIRY FARM COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. FIHE Fifth Ordinary Yearly MEETING | no Transaction taking place under the said of SHAREHOLDERS in the above SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 197 will be re-Company will be held at the Company's cognised by the Office. OFFICE, No. 5, Stauley Street, Victoria, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 15th day of l bebruary, 1892, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of presenting the Report of Direc-

November last, The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to 15th February, 1892, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

E. W. MAITLAND, Secretary. Hongkong, January 27, 1892.

THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND BHIPBUILDERS OF HONG-KONG, INCORPORATED.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

THE FIRST ANSUAL GENERAL MEET-INU of the MEMBERS of this Institution will be held at the Booms, No. 16. Praya CENTRAL, on the EVENING of SATURDAY, the 30th January, 1892, at D'o'dlock p.m., to receive and pass the Report and Statement of Accounts for the W. H. WALKER,

Hongkong, January 23, 1893.

Business Notices.

V-DRIED JAMAICA TURTLE, MIGSIONSTIN PEPPER, TAKET DATES, Unsweetened FRUIT SYRUPS for ICES, &c., SPANISH PIMIENTOS, NOBWEGIAN ANCHOVIES, FILLSTED HERRINGS in WHITE WISE, BITTER ALMONDS, CRYSTALLIZED METZ FRUITS, STRAWBERRIES in SYRUP. OLIVES STUFFED with Anchovies and TRUFFLES, ROAST LARKS TRUFFLED.

GROUND RICE, HOMINY, CRACKED WHEAT, CORNMEATING, &c.

WINES, SPIRITS AND BEERS.

AYALA & Co.'s EXTRA DRY CHAMPAGNE. THE JAPAN BREWERY CO.' LAGER BEER. TAKARADYUKA," a Natural Mineral Water, per case of 50 bottles for \$5.00.

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NEWEST MATERIALS, from \$30.00 Silk lined. VERY LARGE SELECTION OF SCOTCH TWEED, and OTHER

SUITINGS. EVENING DRESS SHIRTS. Latest Style. TIES and GLOVES. 1-HOSE SILK, THREAD and MERINO. SHOES and PUMPS.

1,400 PEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL TARIFF.

Board & Lodging per day (1 person), do. for married couples (occupying 1 room), de for married couples (occupying 1 room),

Hongkong, January 22, 1892.

January 16, 1892.

5.00 Sitting Room per day 90.00 Breakfast, 0.75

W. POWELL & Co.

SPECIAL TREMS for a week and from Saturday to Monday. TRAM TICKETS supplied to VISITORS at reduced rates. For further Particulars, apply to

The Secretary, 38 & 40, QUEEN'S CENTRAL, The Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN.

WILKINSON'S ESSENCE OR FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA

Y Y Is the only Preparation recognized by the Faculty as a wonderful PURIFIER OF THE HUMAN BLOOD.

Sufferers from the effects of Toepid Laves, Debility, Attenuation or Body ERUPTIONS, LASSITUDE, &c., will, by taking this Essence, soon and relief, and ultimately a cure. A LITTLE TAKEN DAILY IS THE BEST PREVENTIVE OF ILLNESS.

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CAUTION -Beware of worthless and injurious articles offered to the Public. Insist on hating Wilkinson's Essence of Red Jamaica Sarasparilla; note the Trade Mark, and refuse all ciners. PREPARED ONLY BY THOMAS WILKINSON, London, W. Sold in Small, Medium.

and Large Bottles. Hougkong: DAKIN BROTHERS, A. WATSON & Co. and all the leading firms at home and abroad. Intimations.

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CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. NOTICE.

TOTICE is horeby given that SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 197 issued 24th July, 1882, for Two Shares Nos, 4828 and 4829 in the above Office, standing in the name of Szow Mang Soon, of Bangkok, has been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 6rm Proximo, A NEW SCRIP CERCIFICATE will be ISSUED to the said SEOW MENG SOON, and

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, January 21, 1892.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

subject to such lien and its consequences. FITHE Fifth Ordinary Amoust MEETING 1 of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Oppion, No. 4, Praya Central at 12 o'clock (Noon), on SATURDAY, the 6th February next, for the purpose of ressiving the Report of the Directors with a Statement of Accounts to Six December, 1891. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

Secretary. Hongkong, January 22, 1892. PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. MTRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES III for GENTLANDE RESIDENT BOARDERS.

at Lowiscon, Victoria View.

Houstong, July 13, 4801.

will be CLOSED from 28th January to 6th February, both days inclusive EDWARD OSBORNE.

THE Eleventh Ordinary Annual MEET ING of SHARRHOLDERS will be held at the Orrions of the Company, Pedder's Street, at Noon, on Thursday, the Eleventh of February, to receive a State-ment of the Accounts of the Company to the Slat December, 1891, and the Report of the Géneral Managora. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 525.

Regular CONVOCATION of the

above CHAPTER will be held in the

EVENING, the 28th Instant, at 8.30

for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting BRITHEEN

THE CHINA & MANUA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that the CHINA

IN & MARILA STEAMBHIP COMPANY,

Lamiran, intend to exercise the lien confer-

red on them by their Articles of Association

with respect to Shares Nos. 1416/1485, 70

OLD SHARES, and Nos. 1041/1065,

944/3953 & 3968/3988, 54 NEW BHARES,

and that PURCHASERS of them will take

Dated this 25th day of January, 1892,

THE HONGKONG TOE COMPANY,

SHEWAN & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, January 28/1892

are cordially INVITED.

will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 11th Proximo, both days included JARDINE, MATRESON & Co. General Managers, Hongiong, January 26, 1892.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned have received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY.

the 29th January, 1892, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 3, Wyndham Street,-THE WELL-KNOWN YACHT COLLEEN BAWN. As she now lies opposite the Godown Co.

Dimensions-Length over all32' 6" Beam 7' 8". Depth Sft. All defects and errors of description at

Purchasers' risk on fell of hammer.

Wharf, Kowloon.

TERMS OF SALE: - Cash before delivery. GORDON & Co., Auctioneers. Hongkong, January 23, 1892

Notices of Firms. NOTIOE.

MR. JOHANN GEORG LUDWIG SCHRÖTER has This Day been authorized to Sign the Name of our Firm. MEYER & Co. Hongkong, January 27, 1892.

NOTICE. (THE Undersigned has This Day Es-TABLISHED himself as AUCTIONEER and GOODS BROKER. GEO. P. LAMMERT.

Hongkong, December 7, 1891. NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

BY Order of the Court of Directors, I have TAKEN OVER the CHIEF MANAGEMENT of the BANK. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager. Hongkong, December 28, 1891.

CHARP & Co., ARCHITECTS AND SURVEYORS. TELEGRAPH HOUSE, Honokong.

1st January, 1892. PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAD NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE. TNDER INSTRUCTIONS from the DIRECTORS I have assumed CHARGE | KTO. 18, HOLLTWOOD ROLD. the Company's BUSINESS at this Port. H. H. JOSEPH,

Superintendent,

Hongkong, January 26, 1892 Intimations.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

T NFORMATION has been Received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the Batteries at Stone-cutters' Island, from the 7mm PROXIMO till the END of the Monra, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. DAILY, SATURDAYS and SUN-DAYS EXCEPTED. The Line of Fire will be in Westerly and South-Westerly directions from the Bat-

All Sures, Junes and other Vessers are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Ranges. By Command.

W. M. GOODMAN. Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, Stat December, 1891.

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Small Brack and Tan TERRIER A BITCH, Answers to name of "Vic." Please communicate with the Undersigned. REWARD if Required. JOHN J. FRANCIS, Bank Buildings.

Hongkong, January 25, 1892. Sequah Speaks

TO the Halt and the Lame: FREEWASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS To the incurables; To those whom Doctors have failed to relieve; To those whose life is a misery on account of Suffering and Pain,

> Once Daily at 5.80 P.M. WEST END POINT, opposite

THE GODOWN CO. WHARP.

SEQUAR'S OFFICES, 118, PRATA WHEE.

Hongious, January 10, 1991



18, Quana a Roid Hongkong, August 18, 1691. Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP TEVIOT, FROM UNKIRK, BOULOGNE, GLASGOW BORDEAUX AND JAVA PORTS. CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature

and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Optional Cargo will be forwarded thilest notice to the contrary be given before Noon Cargo impoding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored into the Godowns of the Kowloon WHARP

& Gopown Co., at Kowloon, at Consignees risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned immediate or they will not be recognised. DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 23, 1892. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG

AND SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Gleneagles, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-

Uptional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the lat Proximo will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consiguees are requested to present

all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 7th Proximo, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, January 25, 1892.

To Let. TO LET.

With Immediate Possession. TWO Large & Commodious GODOWNS with a Wharf in front. No. 118 & 118A. PRAYA KAST, at Bowrington, next to the Canal, Ront moderate. Apply to VIOTORIA HOIEL. Hongkong, December 30, 1891.

TO LET.

DAVID SASSOON, SONE & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1881. THE KOWLOOM LAND AND BUILD. ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO LET. AT KOWLOON. Few HOUSES in KNUTSFORD

TERBACE, containing 5 ROOMS each and BATH KOOMS. TENNIS COURTS. Healthy situation. Cheap Rent. THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., Lad. Hongkong, August 6, 1891.

TO LET. TO, 21, WYNDHAM STREET. Apply to THE COMPRADORE OF MESSAGERES MARITIES.

Hongkong, January 12, 1882. Shipping.

Steamers. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Mirzapore will have quick despatch

for the above Port after her arrival here with the outward Mail E. A. HEWETT. for Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 27, 1892. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA. VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.' Steamship Vero Captain F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on FRI DAY, the 5th February, at Noon. E A HEWETT

for Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 27, 1892. OCEAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR HAMBURG AND LIVERPOOL. (Without transhipment.) The Co.'s Steamship

will be despatched as above on MUNDAY, the 8th Prezimo. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

TA CONTRACTOR Hong kong, Japuary 25, 1892. SHIRE LINE OF STRAMERS. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

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Hongkong, January 19, 1892

PRICE, \$2 PKK MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers. indo-china eteam navigation COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship

Yikeang. Capt. GALSWORTHY, will be despatched as above ro-Morrow, the 29th Inst., at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 28, 1892. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALOUTTA The Steamship

be despatched for the above Posts on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON SONS & Co.

Agents Hongkong, January 25, 1892. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. STEAM FOR HAIPHONG Taking Passengers for Holmow, and Eurys for Tousine & Quinhon.) The Co.'s Steamship

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leave for the above Port

For Freight of Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, January 27, 1892. Modul line of Strambrs.

SATURDAY, the 30th Inst., at Moon.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SURZ CANAL, Calling at MANILA. The Steamship Capt Scortant will be despatched for the above. Ports at 5 p.m. on MONDAY, the lat Prox., instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, January 28, 1892 FOR SINGAPORE, HAVER AND HAMBURG (Taking Cargo at through rates to TWERP, AMSTERDAM, BATTERS.

AND BRIGHEN The Steamship Capt. H. O. THEMER. above Ports on WEDNESDAY, 450 404 February, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.. Agonta Hougkong, January 25, 1892. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI KOBE AND YOKOHAMER. (Vid Inland Bea.) Capt & Divina will be

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWILL CARLILL & Oc. Aceste Hongkonp, January 27, 1892. THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM

FRIDAY, the 5th of Tebrusty.

NAVIGATION COMPANY, TIMTED FOR LONDON WIA PORTS OF CALL The Co.'s Steamship D. DAVIES, Commander, will be despatched as shows on or about the 16th February.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agenia. Hongkong, January 19, 1892. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

For Freight, apply to

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Hongkong, January 28, 1892. . HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION.

Chief Manager.

TOTICE is horoby given that the REGISTER of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 13th to the 27th day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,

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Per Fokien, for Swatow, Mr G. Williams.

Per Glenavon, for Singapore, 5 Euro-

To DEPART.

Per Kate F. Troop, for Iloilo, 2 Europeaus.

Per Cosmopolit, for Quinhon, 20 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Benlawers reports

From Singapore to latitude 10° N., gale

from N.E.; thence to Hongkong, moderate

The Chinese steamer Meefoo reports

Had light Southerly winds and calms, with

rate Easterly wind, with rain and thick

The British steamer Telemachus reports

Had strong N.E. monsoon (gale force) to

Macelefield Bank; and hence light N.E.

20° South of Jay Bank to Echin.

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monsoon, and fair weather. Fog, barometer

The British steamer Arochie reports

Had moderate N.E. winds and foggy, with

MOUNT AUSTIN HOIEL.

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Joseph and child Mr Taylor

EXPORT CARGOES.

Per S. S. China, sailed 13th January :-

okga Merchandine; for San Francisco.

29,412 bags Rice. 850 bags Beans, 401 bags

Sugar, 57 boxes Prepared Opinm, 250 boxes

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Matting, 483 pkgs. Tes and 0,275 pkgs.

Silks, 200 flasks Qu oksilver, 1,033 pkgs.

Merchandise; for Honolulu, 110 bags Beans

50 bags Rice, I case Silks and 469 page.

Marchandise ; for Acquita, & cases Bilks

for he Libertad, 3 cases Silks; for San Jose

co, 16 pkgs. Merchandise ; for Panama.

for Iquique, 13 pkgs. Merchandise;

Raw Silk and 230 bales Raw Silk.

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de Guatemala, 7 cases Silks, for Champeri-

onse Silks and 41 pkgs. Merchandisa; for

-For London, 2 cases Pongees and 4 cases

Per S. S. Glenfruin, sailed 23rd January

Gum Copal, 40 cases Bristles, 25 pkgs. Rat.

tapware, 22 pkgs. Buffalo horns, 19 pkgs.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Phia Nang, at 10.30s.m., on Fr

the 29th inst.

For KUDAT & SANDAKAN .-

Per Yeksang, at il. 30 am., on Friday,

Per Memnon, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday,

t'er Tevist, at 4.30 p.m., on Eriday, the

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

Per Lightning, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the

Per Haiphong, at 5 p m., on Friday, the

1st February, instead of capreviously

-For London, 4,463 bales Hemp, 294

bales Turmeric, 81 rolls Matting, 75

Sundries and 9 cases Silk Piece Goods.

MAILS will close:-

For KUTCHINOTZU .--

the 29th inst.

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For HOIHOW & HATPHONG. -

For MANILA & NEW YORK,-

For SINGAPORE.

the 3rd February

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29th inst.

For YOKOHAMA.-

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OCEAN STRAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Prometheus, Capt. WEBSTER, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 2nd February. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Captain Rox, will be or about SATURDAY, 6th February, instend of as previously advertised, For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 28, 1892. Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for gay Debt contracted by the Officers or Orem of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honglung Harbour :--ARON, Norwegian barque, Capt. A. Christensen. - Kong Wing Tai. Josephus, American ship, Captain Smithwick-Captain. KATE F. TROOP, British barque, Capt. A. L'Avenme. British brigantine, Capt. J. H. Borstel: -- Order. STANFIELD, Brit, barque, Cept. J. Clark. Wieler & Co. TEVIOR, British steamer, Copt. Waring.

-Dodwell, Carlill & Co. SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. January 28, 1872 .-Benlaucers, British steamer, 1,482, Webster, Landon and Singapore January 19, General. GIBB, JAYINGSTON & Co. Mefoo. Chinese steamer, 1,333, W. H. Lunt, Shanghar January 24, General - C. M. S. N. Co. Telemachus, British steamer, 1,297, H. Jone, Liverpool December 19, and Singa pore January 20, General -BUTTERFIELD

Acochie, British steamer, 1,056, T. Rowin, Hongey January 26, Coal - JARDINE, MATRESON & Co. Service January 28 :-Pigmy, British gunboat, for Canton. Ningpo, for Whampos. Deuteron for Sainon! Lycemoon, for Shanghai. ...

Wuchang, for Manila. Glenaroy, for Singapore and London. Besing, for Talwanfon ... Carbolic Acid in preventing development of Clara, for Haiphong. Bacteria, its pace in this direction being very L'Acentre, for California. Cosmopolit, for Quinhon.

> PASSENGER ARRIVED. Start cont. Per Benlawers, from Singapore, LL Chi-Per Meefoo, from Shanghai, 14 Chineses Per Telemachus, from Liverpool, &ca.,

MEMOS. FUR TO-MORROW Shipping. Noon - Viksang leaves for Manila.

Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong, Canton & Macao Co., Ltd. at No. 18 Bank Buildings, Queen's 5 p.m. - Meeting of B.K. Rife Associa-Auctions. 2,30 p.m.-Auction of Plants, &c., at the

Gedowns and Yard of the M. M. Co. Bowrington, Praya East. Amusements. 9 p.m. - Woodyear's Royal Australian Circus at West Point, opposite Godowt

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1899 chandise; for Valparaiso, il cases Silks; Ir was of course right and proper that an The Grand Date, who was the cases of the official inquiry should be made here into present Emparor, in arried, in August, 1863 page. Merchandise, 2 cases Silke, 40 cases the loss of the steamer Namchow. The the Princess Alexandra, daughter of J. seph, vessel foundered within a short distance duke of Saza-Altenbarg; by whom he had Per S. S. Rapenna, sailed 21st January of Hongkong and under circumstances issue. In addition to being Grand Admiral which appeared very mysterious. The first of Russia he held many important military Goods, 30 bales Waste Silk and 750 bales intelligence of the disaster, which was and civil posts and allied chimself to the dered at that some people were inclined to tion of the Russian fleet, and for a sheet. Per Drot, at 8.30 a.m., on Friday, the

questions practically unanswered. Nor his elder brother. have they yet been satisfactorily and wered. The Const of Inquiry was mare formality. It elicited nothing i the shape of reliable evidence as regard these questions, and had to content theil with the indefinite salements contained in the depositions of tertain Chinese parsengers who had been examined by the British Countil at Swatowi On such evidence it was impossible for Court to come to any other finding than the inconclusive and dissistation one at which they arrived. The re-Por Chazer, at 4 30 p.m., on Monday, the suit is the more disappointing when it is remembered that further evidence of a fuller and more pirermetantial Per Niobe, at 11.30 a.m., on Wednesday, character might have been obtained, The supercargo of the Armenous, who made a statement to Capt. Burr of H. M.S. Porpois, FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 11.80 a.m., on Friday, ought to have been examined. That he

of the Court, he having gone away to Poneig after having been summoned to stiend the inquiry; but we fail to see wby The Court should have closed the inquiry and given its finding until some effort had been mide to get this man brought before it. From Captain Barra statement Which was read at the inquiry this quite cless that the appercarge was the best witness that could be got, and if he were fully examined groot deal night be sportsined that. has no yet appeared with regard to what happened on board the ill fated steamer between the might of the 6th and a marning of the 7th instant. There were other witness. ses, passengers on the steamer, summoned who might have helped to throw light ou the sed affile, but the Court discovered at its

second sitting that there had good sway to Amoy, The reluctance of Chinese to give evidence in such a case is wall known, and it must surely have been forescen that these men would avoid doing so if they possibly could. Yet no steps seem to have been taken to prevent them from enving the colony if they chose to do so. The Const appare ently treated the matter in the must complacent way, - The witness have bolted; all right, let us close the inquiry. In thort the inquiry was not only a mere formality, but an utterly useless formality

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO JES CHINA MAYL.

(Via Southern Line.): PORTUGAL The project to relieve the present posts tion by the sale of hercolonies ingaining in general favour, but is opposed by the

Cortes. (From Singapore Papers) the secretary of the second second

HONGRONG CHAMBER OF COM-MERCE GRIEVANCE. London, Jan. 16.-The Times publishes letter from the Charman of the Longhong Uhamber of Commerce, detailing certains grisvances against Sir John Walsham, Her Majesty's Minister at Paking, and asking the assistance of the Times with a view of the same being redressed.

THE DISTURBANCE IN PAHANG. (Pinang Gazette.) MORE STOCKADES AND LAMPONGS BURNT. CONCENTRATION OF ENEMY DOWN BIVER. ME MAXWELL IN COMMAND AT ULU PAHANG. Tras, 13th January.—The news from the Bintong district is that five stockades have been taken and some kampongs burnt, without resistance, the enemy being all down river. Unless allowed to pass here, I shall go round and join Chifford on the lower Semantan river. Tras, 13 h Jansury, 4.65 p.m. Leave given to go to Bentong. Marwell has been given full command of affairs-in Ulu Pahang. He has uiled a meeting of Syers, Duhan and Wise here for Friday. We have also remited information that Impactor McNamura arrived with his force of 50 Sielis at Roals Kaby on the 32th The best and cheapest Machines in the instant (Tuesday). There was him how there of the doings at the front

> DEATH OF THE GRAND DUKE CONSTANTINE

> Yesterday the Russian Admiral received

telegram intimiting the death, on the

25th instant, of the Grand Dake Constantine Nicolawitch. The flag on the Russian flagship has been flying all day at half. mast, and the fligt on the various commisster have also been lowered as a mack of respect. The decessed was the second son and fourth child of the late Emperor Nichoas. He was a Grand Duke of Russia and titular and Grand Admiral of the Imported freet. He was the on The September, 1830 Bu was about a stscaled for the mary, and in his character of Admiral ventured to the differ brother, the Lite Emperor, who was on board his ship, for which he was himself placed under arrest for a considerable time. brought to Hongkong by Captain Lunt Muscovite national party whose fanaticism of the Meefoo, had such an aspect of helped to bring about the Crimean War. improbability that it was not to be won- Of late he had been busy with a reorgan ea. think Captain Lunt and his officers must time he visited Torkey during the war. In have been mistaken. Although corrobora- January, 1878, he was respected Presidtion of the sad story was soon forthcoming, ent of the Council of State for three years. the circumstances attending the catastrophe He was the sother of a History and still remained, to a large extent, unexplain Description of the Town of Tatiovak. ed. The secounts given by the Chiness The relations between the late Emperor survivors were vague and contradictory, and the deceased were strained for many What was the primary cause of the disaster! years, and, fearing a raing under the What steps were taken to avert it? What Grand Duke Constanting, the Emperor happened after the foundering of the ves Nicholas, on his death bed, made him and seemed inevitable? All these were renew his dath of fidelity and obedience to

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The M. M. Co. waterments protections with the French Mail of the 25th Dec. left Saigon on Tuesday, the 26th Janua to-morely the 2007 Jan. This packet brings replies to letters temperated from Hongkong on Nov. 18th.

The P. & O. s. v. Mirzapore, with the End-MAIL of Jan. 1st, left Singapore on Monday, 25th Jan., at 5.30 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday, Jan. 30th. This Packet brings replies to latters despatched from Hongkong on Nov. 26th.

The C. P. R. steamship Empress of India a left Tokobuna on Jap. 28th for this port via Kobe and Shanghai.

The ma. Terrington left Tourage on Jan. 19. and is now overdue. The Chine Mulual Co. a s. s. Oopack, from London and Laverpool, left Singspore

may be expected here on or about the The O. S. S. Co. a steamehip Dardanus left Singepore on 26th Jan., and may be

The Shire Late Steamship Radnorwire may be expected here on or about the 3rd Teb.

The D. D. R. L a. Aglaia, from Hamburg, left Singapore on Jan. 27, and may be

expected here on or about Feb. 3rd. The N. G. L. a. Bisagno, from Bombey, loit Singapore for this port on Jan. 27, and may be expected here on or about

The P. Seco. Do. s. a. Tcheran left Singrante of Van. 27, and may be expected here on at about Feb. 4th. The s.s. Keitsong, from Straits and Calcut-

ta, left Singapore for this port on the on on about the 4th Feb. The E & A. Co.'s s.s. Catterthun, from

Australia left Port Dazwin on Jan. 20th, via Timor, for this part The P. & O. s. Shanshas left Bombay

for this port on 22nd Jan. for this port on Jan. 17th.

THE P. & Or and Messageries Munitimes Companies have issued zeturn tickets at reduced fares between Shaughai and Hongkong in connection with the approsching interport cricket match.

Ar the Magistracy this morning Yung Kin Shan, mandain, was brought before Mr Wine charged with atealing a box containing money and valuable deeds, in all of the value of \$10,000, from the house at 99 Wing Lok Street occupied by U Ip Chung. Accused was remanded for a week.

THE Post and Money Order offices will entirely closed on Saturday, the 30th inst (Chinese New Year's Day). The night Box will be kept open. If the English Mail arrives on that day, the Post Office will be opened for delivery for one hour only, but no letters will be sent out.

During the past few days several cases earting enatching have bed to be dealt with at the Magistracy by Mr Wise, who seems determined to inflict such punishment sa will tend to check this form crime. To-day a coolie for stealing earrings from a woman yesterday was sentenced to air months imprisonment with hard labour. He will also receive twelve strukes on the back with a rattan at the commencement of his sentence and twelve before he leaves prison.

On the 20th instathe competition for places in the Shanghal team for the interport wifle match was completed, with the result that the Best eight places were gained by B. S .-M. Cameron, Sucher Murphy, Corpl. Wilson, O. Sergi Howman, Corp. Gibson, Corp. Jensen, Gunner Crank, and Corp. Ross. With reference to the match the Manakas Mercury name Countdering the intense cold prevailing bets now in the morning the Shanghad toons will shoot somowhat at a disadvantage bat if the day is a good one at all. Shangual may be counted upon to show up well in the match.

Ar the Roguer Congocation of the United | appointment to the ministration of year :--

HaprinianJ. Beyant J., W. L. Ford. Treasurer.....J. R. Grimble. Scribe E. White. Scribe N.,....J. A. Inglis. P. S. Brafford. Steward B. T. Moore. Janitor,J. Maxwell.

Or the 26th inst. at Canton a number of Chinese passengers, chiefly of the salcon clara, presented at Canton Capi, G. C. Blethen, of the C.M.S.N. Co.'s s. s. King Kum (now running on the Canton River), with selecatiful ailk flag, with the inscription Universally repected by Chinese and loreigner alike. Capt. Blethen in his dislines with his passengers has been very kind and courteous to them. so in gracial recognition of the same they made the presentation to him on the occasion of China New Year, accompanying and with a large triantity of fire orackers.

with the AMERICAN MAIL of Slat Company informs us that the Company's s. s. Teheran laft Singapore for this por:

> REUXER has once more distinguished himself. The telegram which we publish today, under the heading ' Hongkong Chamber of Commerce Grievance is an item which is primarily of interest to Hougkong. but although the message was sent as far as Singapore it was apparently thought not worth while to send it on here! This is very like Reuter.

WE learn that the first annual general meeting of the shareholders of Carmichael for this port on the 24th Jan. and Office, 18 Prays, this afternoon, when a very satisfactory report and statement of a little smoke has escaped from the apet expected here on or about the 2nd accounts was passed. The company's authorised dividend, viz., 10 per cent, was declared, and the re-election of, and vote of thanks to the Managing Officers terminated the proceedings.

ANOTHER case of armed robbery is reported from Kowloon side by Inspector Hanson. On the 26th inst. three men armed with daggers and revolvers entered a house at To-kwa-wan and stole some money and jewellery. The alarm was raised and the thieves were pursued by the villagers. As the mon ran up the The sand may be expected here hillside several shots were fired at them by their pursuen, but they managed to escape. Yesterday, however, one of the men was found in a ravine with an arm and a leg broken. He had apparently fallen over a precipice while The P. and O. s. s. Brindisi left London running from the villagers on the previous day, and it is just likely that had he. not been discovered nocidentally yesterday he might have succumbed to his injuries. A portion of the stolen property was found by his side, and he was afterwards identified as one of the men who had entered the house. He is at present in the Government Civil Hospital.

MR GEORGE PERMISS, lately Governmen

Marine Surveyor in Hongkong, was entertained at dinner in the Hongkong Hotel yesterday evening, by a number of his friends here, on the occasion of his departure for Shanghai to take the position of Superinte dent Engineer of the China Navigation Co. In the unavoidable absence of Mr D. Gillies, Secretary of the Hongkong and Whampao Dock Co., who was to have presided, the chair was occupied by Mr J. W. Boyd, Superintendent Engineer, Kowloon Docks. The Company, which numbered about thirty, was a very representative one. The Chairman, in proposing the tonat of the evening, said they had asked Mr. Peebles to meet them in order that they might say goodbye to him and wish him prosperity in his new sphere in Shanghai. Although Dennys and Mossop, appeared for the Mr Peobles had not been long in Hongkong he had succeeded in earning the respect of all classes of the shipping community, and in fact of everyone who had come in contact with him. They all con- with intent to do him grievous bedily harm. gratulated him on his newsprointment and hoped that he would be long spared to fulfil the important duties of Superintendent Engineer of the China Navigation Co. at Shanghai. The toast was suthusiastically honoured. Mr Peebles, in roply, after expressing his regret at the illness of Mr Gillies, said this was to him an entirely the lunn association. When with east had unexpected honour. He was sure that the feelings expressed by the Chairman and enforced by the others present were more than he had merit-He had only done his duty to the best of his ability as Government Marine | twice and fired; one of the bullets struck | Surveyor and it was very pleasant to him to be suured that he las succeeded in There had been twice a quarrel between corrying out the duties tached to that them before about plaintiff's wife. Witness Chapter 16, 1841 E.C., held on the 27th shipping community of this large and bruise which witness showed to inspector instant, the following companions were growing part, and, he hoped, with im- Bremner was made by a bullet from the elected as office-bearers for the ensuing partiality to all. He was about to sever his connection with the Government after a period of eight years' service; he hoped he had given satisfaction to his former employers and trusted be might be but as it depended upon the impresable to do so to his future employers. Although he had only been a comparatively short period in Hongkong he consider the matter because he now had all felt as if parting with very-old friends, and he would look back with great pleasure upon his connection with Hongkong. Mr R. Cooke, Assistant Manager. proposed the Lealth of the guests, coupled and arguments tending in both directions cases fly off for the Captain, not apparently fronted with the usembled Taptale and rewith the name of Capt. Tillett, Marine buted by the Chairman, and Mesers Mitchall, Aiken, Kinghorn, Johnston, Ramsay, Macdonald, Walker, Maio and Gordon, and

a most enjoyable evening was spent. his Chinese triends, for whom, he said, he would be worthless. I explained the mathad done no more than what he would ter in detail, westing a column or so of have for people of any other nationality this paper's valuable space pointing out the absurdity of such a vessel for such an who took plesage in the steamer under armament or rather the absurdity of such his commend ; at any rate (he idded) he an armsment for any vessel—the combinadid no more than what was his duly, but he When shown my article-the Secretary of thanked them all the same, especially for the Navy was pleased to give his nose an their expression of good wishes for his ful elevation several degrees greater than that you ever saw? Well, I think the best of Captala Zelinsky s wind artillery. That stiended one was that of a man who had snort his cost the country a pretty pot of spent most of his life practicing the cornet last Sunday. Average Worshipper-No. I money-and we haven't the sneer

The P. M. S. Co.'s s. a. City of Peking, | This Superintendent of the P. & O. S. M. A. Grussa Buddhistic missionary is reported by the Times of India to be now touring in India. He has travelled from Peking to Mandalay on foot without funds. He passes under the name of Lama Thochin. It is said that for more than a hundred years no Chinese monk has made a religious tour of India. Lama Thochin was the other day in Calcutta, and is by this time at Buddh Gya.

> One of the Tokyo papers reports an occurrence of such a remarkable nature that it would certainly find scant credence were it not for the strange phenomena the late earthquake has made men more or less familiar with: At a place called Kurosawa in Shimokawabica of the village of Hirata in Joto County, Shizucka Profecture, whilst nome men were engaged digging a well on the 6th inst., smoke suddenly rose, followwere in great fear for some time, dread-Co. Ltd. was held at the Company's ing some eruption. The phenomenon dis- afterwards:appeared in the course of an hour, although

> > In his report to Congress for 1891 the U.S. Secretary of Agriculture makes the following amusing reference to trainfall experimenta. After stating that \$9,000 have been used up in ascertaining the feasibility of producing rain by means of explosions. he concludes, 'Due preparation having been made, the experiments were conducted an extensive scale during the past season in Toxas. I have every reason to believe that. so far as the production of explosions is concerned, these experiments were eminently successful. As regards the object thereof namely, the production of rain. I have no data jet at hand which would justify me in expressing any conclusions on the subject.

THE INTERPORT ORICKET MATCH It has been decided that the following Team will represent Hongkong in this most interesting match :--

Capt. Dunn (Capt.), E. J. Coxon. G S. Coxon. S. L. Darby. J. M. de Robeck, R. N., Capt. Dumbleton, R. E., A. J. Leach.

Dr. Lowson. E. W. Maitland, E. A. Ram. T. M. S. Jeffkins, R.E.

G. C. Purvis (12th Man),

Major Selfe, R.A. (Scorer). C. G. Taylor (Umpire). On Saturday, commencing at 11 a.m., match has been arranged between the above and All Comers, consisting of T. E. Davies (Capt). C. G. Taylor, R.A., Capt. de Boulay, R.A., Major Selfe, R.A., J. Orman, G. E. Tavorner, Dr. Iliewicz, R.1., Lieut. Strick, D. Nichelson, R.N., E. S. Ezekiel, E. A. Lammert, A. G. Stokes, C. Wallace and several others.

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr Justice Clarke, Puisne Judge. Thursday, Jan. 28.

Tiffin on the Ground."

BAM SAMMY O. EMAN DEEN ! ACTION FOR In this case Ram Sammy, an Indian watchman, unemployed, sued Eman Deen, another Indian, employed in Victoria Gaol.

for \$1000 damages for malicious prosecution. Mr Robitson, instructed by Messrs plaintiff; and Mr Francis, Q.C., instructed by Messra Wotton and Descon, was for the defence. The suit areas out of a recent Police Court case, in which Rum Sammy, the present plaintiff, was charged by the defendant with shooting at him The case, after being investigated by the Magistrate, was dismissed.

This case was resumed to-day. Evidence Eman Doen, the defendant, said he saw be judged by his petraonly? The sentence Thomas Arnold, whose re-election is recomfor the defence was heard. the plaintiff in Queen's Road on 26th December last. He asked witness about some as will be admitted by all seamen of exloan association money, with which witness perlence, and also on the other hand very said he had nothing to do. Witness, however, gave the plaintiff a chit to the head of shows, ran the ship on shore on a clear parted with him he heard a report and felt something strike his foot. On looking round he saw the plaintiff with a small pistol in his hand. Witness struck him on the shoulder with his stick. The plaintiff then ran and witness pursued him. While he was being chased the plaintiff turned him on the side. The plaintiff said- You have taken my wife; I'll take your life. never lived with the woman and plaintiff's suspicions were quite unfounded.

No further evidence was called for the Counsel having addressed the Court. His Lordship said the case was one which he considered a very difficult one. sion made on his mind by the evidence he did not consider that it would be any advantage to himself to further the evidence before him and had come to a conclusion as far as he could; but he confessed he should have had a much lighter heart in the matter it he had to sum up to a jury instead of giving a decir teem to be too many of the class ment affive adding that he had served Li Hung sion himself, because he could point tioned who appear to have no brains or for many years. After being warned of the Hongkorg and Whanpos Dock Co, out to them great doubts and difficulties judgment and must in the commonest consequences of a mistake, Wan was conand leave them to decide; but he had having sense enough to head the ship quested to point out Li Hung. After to do what it would not be necessary for away from a visible danger. I hear the searching long and hard Wan said the Superintendent of the C. P. R. Co., who a jury to do - he had to give his reasons for captain of the Yunnan intends placing his Indensed was not among them. Whereupon responded. Afterwards congs were contri- his decision. The case was a very peculiar case in the hands of the London thin that The codification been captured.—Rangeon Gasette. one indeed because of the great improba- masters' Association, and I have no coubt whether he recognised him. The answer of criminal law he has pushed on most bilities which, to his mind, there were in when the case is judged by more out was in the negative, and Li Bung cried each view of it. His Lordship then pro- peteut men, the decision will be somewhat out. I am be whom you accuse, ld Hung in conded to review the evidence. His different, the present one having given person. Wan was astounded, hung his Lordship, in concluding his review of the dissatisfaction to the whole of the according head in silence and muttered an excuse. evidence, said he considered the case a community here. The Captain, Plans has The Provincial Treasurer ordered Wen very difficult one indeed, and he had tried had a successful career as a shipmaster for Sung-ting to be placed in iron, and reto grapple with the difficulties as well as eleven years and has been fortunate prough ported the proceedings to the Vierroy. THE U.S. Neval Department has defini. he could. He had that in his mind, but to gain the confidence of all his employers. tely condemned the dymemite gun craiser he had the impression which the evidence I am certain that the China Mavigation Co. Vesucius. Ambrose hieros writes of her in had given him also in his mind, and he had a very high opinion of him also. This the same with a letter in graceful tarms, the San Francisco Engwiner :- It is now felt quite certain that this was the best makes his case all the harder, seeing the far definitely settled that the vessel Fesurius, opinion he could give, -That the plaintiff has not proved himself unworthy, our sleepis with her pneumatic tubes for throwing had not satisfied him that this was a false the victim of misplaced confidence. Con-Cast Blates, in seknowledging the cour. dynamic shells, is a failure, and she is to charge brongot from mainious motives pliment, streeted himselfigratified as well be altered to a torpedo-cruiser. While without reasonable and just cause, and as surprised at the spontaneous gift from she was building. I entmerated in these under these circumstances his judgment

> FATHER-My dear, this seems like a strange marriage. He is but eighteen years old and you are twenty-eight. When he is forty you will be fifty. Danghter-No, indeed. I'll still be twenty-eight. WEAT was the most successful fouer with his windows open.

THE LOSS OF THE NAMOHOW. FINDING OF THE COURT OF INQUIRY.

This inquiry was resumed in the Harbour. Office this forenoon. The Acting Harbour Master, Hon W. C. H. Hastings, again presided, the other members of Court being Lieut. A. Y. Moggridge, R. N., H.M.S. Leander: Mr W. Waring, s.s. Teviot; Mr W. H. Farrand, s.s. Propontis; and Mr H. F. Holt, p.e. Sussex.

The President stated that there was no further evidence to lay before the Court. The witnesses they had intended to examine had gone off to Amoy-disappeared. The Court had had all the ovidence it was

Mr Waring-And that is not very much. The President said the Court would ed shortly afterwards by fire. The people proceed to consider its decision, which was given in the following terms a few minutes

> We find that the Namehow was a British steamer of 1109 tons registered tonbage. official number 63588, belonging to the port of Penang. It appears from the evidence before this Court that the cleared from Hongkong on the 6th inst. bound for Amoy with a general cargo and a crew of 63 hands all fold, as well as more than 491 passengers. From the affidavite before the Court it appears that on the acht of the 7th last in the vicinity of Breaker Point, the engines stopped and apparently the hull of the vessel was injured, water entering. and ultimately, in spice of attempted repairs, the ressel foundered about 8 a.m. on the morning of the 8th inst. All the Europeans on board and between three and four hundred of the passengers and crew were lost. The survivors were saved in fishing boats, part reaching the fishing junk in one of the ship's boats and part being rescued from the water. The ship's boats, with the one exception that reached. the fishing junk, appear to have been lowered and swamped alongside when the

vesselsank. · Given under our hands this 28th day o January, 1892, at Victoria, Hongkong, (Signed) W. C. H. Hastings, President

A. Y. Moggerdor. WM. WARING. WM. H. FARBAND. H. F. HOLT.

NAVAL COURTS OF ENQUIRY.

A Shipmaster' writes the following of the best scoring the Association has see letter to the N.-C. Daily News on the for a long while. subject of naval courts of enquiry :--- .

Sir,-Will you kindly insert the following letter in your valuable paper, aneut Courts of Enquiry, which will be edifying to the general public and of great interest to the seafaring community here and olse-

I do not know of anything that is more in need of improvement than the present mode of composing courts of enquiry into the conduct of merchant captains and officers. A case in point is the loss of the Yunnan. The President of the court was a navigating Lieutenant of a man-of-war, who is practically on a grade with the second or navigating officer of a P. & O. steamer. the Captain of a P. and O. steamor being the only Captain included in the court. Even he, I presume, has little or no costing knowledge and is probably much junior in command to the master on whose case he

sat in judgment. The third member of the court was the British Vice-Consul, no seaman at all. Now there were available as serous men of great experience in command of both oceangoing and also coasting steamers, and I am told a request that such men should be appointed was refused, which seems at the least very strange. Now I would ask, can any of the above court or all of them put ports, say Swatow or Amoy, and enter from all sources of about \$2,700. these ports at all times of tide, etc., and make good time? I think not. I am sorry

can. What has become of the good old law, their occupancy at satisfactory rentals. against Capt. Peacock seems very najust, mended. light on the chief officer, who, the avidence moonlight morning, having the lighthouse and the land in aight all the time. This case is only paralleted by the case of theirs.

Dacca, in the Red Sec. In the coasting ateamers the captain has to be on deck day and night at all difficult or narrow passes : between whites he may anatch a few hours, sometimes minutes, I notal in rank and held till recently a milibleep. Of the Cape of Good Hope on a tary command. Tired of official life he replear moonlight night ship steaming slow, chief officer in charge (who has been there several times), if a captain is not instilled court place the first officer in if he is not king and when about to suffer capital punresponsible for the ship, while the Dantain. ishment for his crime, denied that his name is asleep t le he anybody at all ! What does his certificate entitle him to se regerds | know those members he had served, and

scainst the land in a clear moonlight night stated that Li Hung was one of the chief Jan 12 and a good light on the land? Does such | Leaders : and the charge he reiterated. On a court presume to say that the captain | the strength of this accusation Li Hung enwould have been responsible in the least if the ship had collided with another steamer | guarded. The day following Li Hung's under the same circumstances? The land arrival, the Nanking Provincial Treasurer certainly did not come half way to meet

The litter in your paper of the 13th Hall and placed Li Hung among them. inst, asking what an officer is for in Wan Sung-ting was summined and very much to the point, and I fully en- neked whether he knew li Hung dorse the opinions therein stated. There personally. He replied in the affirmsidering how this case has gone. I as a coasting master, feel quite at a loss to know when it will be safe for me to alcen. the Marine Officerst Association no interest in this case ! Is it satisfied with the verdict ? More especially, is it pleased with the composition of the court Is it satisfied with the insult conveyed by the refueal to illow consting captains of experience to alt in judgment! I should like to hear it express

over and goes to sleep again. Good Pastor-I did not see you at church

had nothing less than a quarter about me.

an opinion on the subject, before & rolls

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. The following is the sixth annual report for presentation at the yearly meeting to be held at the Hongkong Hotel to-morrow

The Committee have much pleasure presenting the 6th annual report, and so doing being able to state that though the attendance of members at the weekly Competitions has not been as good as was. expected, yet the standard of individual shooting has been maintained, and slightly

The number of members continues satisfactory, showing a total of 136, of whom 34

considerable accession. shires should prove a keen shooting Regi- ing about to leave for your port. ment, it is probable that the arrangements for 1892 will have to be on a more modest

The generosity of the Hongkong Public however was again manifested by munificent donations to the prize fund. Sergeant Boyd, D Company, A. & S. Highlanders, proved champion of the meeting and carried off the N. R. A. medal. Two aubscription cups were shot for dur-

ing the year in addition to the weekly spoons, and have been finally won by Mr Ford, and Mr Watson respectively. Noble, was finally won after a long and keen contest by Mr D. McClenuan.

The Targets are in fair condition. the plant requires some additions and repairs, whilst the Matsheds have suffered great damage through the storms of last summer; the Committee have therefore. written off \$100 on account of depreciation.

The Committee greatly regret the loss the Association will sustain by the parture of the 91st Argyll and Sutherland Regiment, and their heartiest thanks are due to Lt. Colonel Chater for the ready help which he has always afforded the Association, as Well as to the Officers of the Navy and Army, without the kind aid of whom it would not have been possible to carry through the programme of the Easter Meeting

The Committee also wish to express their thanks to Mr Sassoon, for the Cup he has lately presented to the Association which is at present the subject of Competition; it has already given rise to some

ED. ROBINSON. Acting Hon. Secretary.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED. The following is the eleventh annual re-

port of the above Company!--The General Managers beg to submit to the shareholders a statement of the company's accounts for the year 1891. Including \$505.78 brought forward from last year and after deducting \$10,000 paid on the 10th August last as an interim di- | Saturday :vidend of 8 % the balance at credit of profit and less account is \$24,989, which it is

recommended should be appropriated as To pay a final dividend of 16% or 84 per share (making 24% for To write off property account, And to carry forward to next so

buildings are in good order and repair. The quantity of Ice disposed of was 85 | This affords an average of 82.1,

perty in Ice House Lane is \$743.44 less to the performance of the team in to think that men who must feel that they than for 1830, the greater part of the pre- the coming match the following totals could not do this workers entirely out of mises having been vacant during the year, place when set in judgment on those who but arrangements have now been made for given :or the spirit of the isw, that a man should The accounts have been audited by Mr.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, 28th January, 1892.

NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS. The Shenous's Nanking correspondent

writes :- Li Hung, con of the late general Li Exe-chang, who is under arrest on a charge acciety, as already reported, is an expectant life in Ngankin on his patrimony, which is was on the list of members, but said he tered the city gates a prisoner, closely assembled several expectant Tactale in full dress in the court of the examination

CHEFOO. (Shanghai Mercury Cor. espendent)

company, and is now the commodors Cap- Party that very greatly needs well-welltain of the Chinese Mining and Engineer- This colony could get many chisi-justices ing Company's fleet of Ping' steamers, of which the Funing in the largest. Hearn. from Taku, I am sorry to report, that Cantain W. Grant, * of the Imperial Arsenal and Dook in Taku, is very ill, two doctors attending on him, one of whom is the medical gentleman on board the U. S. gunboat Palos, which never reached Tientain, but had to content herself with staying at Taku. Tientein is gay with paperbunts, and all that sort of thing, and hardly a soul there or at Taku bothers his head about the rebellion, which indeed seems to be a thing of the past. Everybody is well at Taku, as far as I can learn, except poor Grant, so well and favourably known all over The Committee hope to see shortly a North China; it is generally and ferrently hoped that his iron constitution will pu The Annual Prize Meeting hold at him through all right. Nothing particular Baster was not attended, financially, with to add from this place, and if there were. its usual success; and unless the Shrop- there would be no time, the s.s. Fulling be-

There was a rumour in the Settlement to-day, on telegram having arrived, announcing his death.

SINGAPORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION. CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION AND INTER COLONIAL TEAM PRACTICE.

As it has been decided to shoot off the Inter-Colonial Match next Saturday, if the state of the weather—always a precarious matter at this time of the year-justifies a decision to that effect, the periodical comhred on Saturday afternoon partook to a forward to reserve. certain extent of the character of a team drizzle till nearly 5 p.m., a dull sky and a dull and uncertain light, particularly at the long range, were not conditions under which any uniformly good scoring could be expected. It may be at once remarked that Mr R. Dunman was the winner with very good score of 88, and Mr W. T. Wrench, who is as a rule in receipt of destroying the food which the villagers had rather levish handicaps, won the spoon handisap attached to the Challenge Cup competition with the score of 93, to which contributed very handsomely. It is not absolutely decided yet what

changes will be made in the Inter-Colonial team. Sergt. Phillips. 28th Regiment. went home on a year's leave by last P. & mail, and Sergt. Fontaine goes home by the troopship Orontes. His presence Staff Sergt. Murphy, 58th, is in all proba- remote villages will be impressed with the Sergt Phillips. Mr D. Maw is supposed to be nuite fit for his old, place, but he has not jet returned from Penang. Mr A. of late made his inclusion on this occasion them acticipate that Lord Silisbury will very improbable, has again managed to profit by the youth of Prince abbas to degive a glimpse of something like his old for indefinitely the evacuation of Egypt.

The following were the scores made of

CHALLENGE CUP 200 500 600 Tot. E'cap. Tol. 30 32 26 88 0 88 W. 9, St. Clair 29 81 25 85 A. Morrison 28 30 28 84 Sti. 8gt. Murphy 58th 82 26 26 84 Lt. T. Carlyle, R.A. 80 25 26 51 Lt. T. Carlyle, B.A. 26 23 24 79 0 C. Fittock 26 28 29 21 74 8 Col. Fgt. Delaney 58th 82 80 21 74 8 W. T. Wrench 28 18 19 63 80 Capt. Byrne, R.M.T.E. 24 20 (did not finish) In spite of the unfavourable weather

with a bad light and a fluctuating wind at 600 yards the eight men in the Singapore The New Ammonia Compression Machine team who completed firing Comitting Capt, to Great Britain & sum of Railor per has been at work since April last, and has Byrue who was not feeling very well, and annum in connection with the transport of proved an entire success. All plant and Sergi. Fontaine absent) made 88, 85, 84,84, the mails via Brindlei. 82, 81, 79, and 74; giving a total of 657. A dense black tog has prevailed in together, run one of the coasting steamers tons less than during the previous year, equal to a team total, for 10 men, of 821 from Shanghai Bund to any of the coast and there is a reduction in the net sarnings This under the circumstances may be con- drowning and other accidents have been Bidged as fairly good. For purposes of reported. The Revenue from the Company's pro- comparison and to afford some criterion as made at various times lately are here

1st Team Practice Inter-Colonial Match Civil v. Military Salurday's practice (av.) ...

Total for four shoots Average ,, ...

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> SIR EDWARD O'MALLEY. (Straits Times, Jan. 18.) The Hon'ble Sir Edward O'Malley, chief-

justice, goes home on leave of absence by to morrow's mail-leaving behind him a Gurkha slightly wounded. cause list swept clean. Sir Edward has tion. A profound and learned lawyer : a stockade; and two men of the Dovons patient hearer of all sides; the author of Regiment and one Sapper sightly wounded most clear and instructive judgments; he at Sadon. The enemy, lost six killed and has been also quick in the despatch of work. two wounded at the stocking, and stock Ho has done his judicial work well and he killed at Sadon. The Sadon Santas has ing admission to, and safeguarding the honour of the bar; and he has establishe workable rules for the consultr court' Bangkok. When as home; he will probable be saked to give what should be most in finential advice in the argument touching the status of the Native States Courts Every one would be glad to see him return soon; but some who know him hope tha bis friends will persuade him to return the political life of which at one time 17th January. - an ambitious. Sir Edward is so Eoglis Nothing very startling occurred since my Liberal and an Irish Home Rules—the lat last two days ego, except that the s.s. Lors thing that may be palliated by remem Ruping Captain Watts, left four days ago bering that he represents an old Iris for Tongku, got at least as far as Tako, dis- family, and would stake his own and hi charged all her passengers, mails and cargo, family's interests on the result of the throw and left Take for here on the following play. There are not very many of the Irish Li She is now here, we route for Shanghai. | beral party who can bring to that catte To rem's stance to Take in the middle of such independence, such oprightness, such panery is a feat never accomplished be a record of public service, and such sincer fore, and nobody, except a gentleman with devotion to the Empire's weel. We are the practical local knowledge of the place, sory that his Edward O'Mailey is on the like the commander of the peace is Fuping side of politice; but, since it is so, we would could have accomplished it. Captain he simost equally sorry that so exceptions Watte has had many years' experience, as | m Home Hules should be bidden in an ol a local Tientsin pliot, until he became | some island of the melancholy East, who manager of the Tuku Tug and Lighter be might be in the buttle field of Imperis Company, and afterwards of the rival tug politics, and serving in a Parliamentar

who would serve its turn sufficiently well : we doubt whether Parliament on get very... many members who are at our sincere. Home Rulers, zealous loyaliste, able lawyers, and free from the need to hunger for office, while qualified to accept it.

LATE TELEGRAMS. Calcutta Jan. 4.—The Marchicaes of Lansdowne has taken passage for England from Bombay by the mail ateamer of the 2nd April, and will be accompanied by

Lord Valletort, A.D.C. Madras. January 5 .-- A novely for the next Burns, Anniversary is being arranged here in the shape of a Scotch concert. Though there is at present to serious distress in the Mysore Province, a famine must inevitably ensue if the drought if prolonged over next monsoon. Calcutta, 7th January .- A trooper of the Body Guard has been arrested for stealing a quantity of valuable jewellery it am Lady Liansdowne's apartments at Covernment House. The jewellery was recovered. A new emigration field for India is likely to be shortly opened out in Bouth Aus-

tralia, and the appointment of a protector of immigrants is likely, to be sauctioned by the Columist Government True less seen The Bank of Madras declares a dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. and carried Jorward 52,000 rupees.

The Bank of Bombay declares a dividend petition for the Challenge Cup that was of ten per cent., with Res 1.31.000 carried Allahabad, 8th Jan. - The Viceroy has repractice for that event. And it is from ceived a message from England conveying this point of view that the shooting the congratulations of the Queen to the possesses the chief interest. The weather officers and men of the Hunza, North was anything but desirable. Heavy rain Cashmera, Field Force, on the anchors in the earlier part of the afternoon with a which has attended their operations. This has been made known to the Cashmere Durbar and to the British Agent at Gilgit. Safder Ali Khan and Uzr Klan, loaders in the opposition to the British forces. fugitives from Hunza, have not yet been captured. In their retirement from the hills they wilfully fired several form, thus

stored up for the winter. Captain Townshend. Central Indian Horse has been appointed military Govers total a handicap allowance of 30 points nor of Hunza pending further arrangements for the government of the State The people are loud in expressing their gratitude for the leniency shown towards them, once the fighting was over Captain Colin MacKenzie has sent small column from Hunza to work tub the

valley to Galmat and Pasu on the route to in the team is therefore a little uncertain. the Kilik pass. In this way even the most bility the choice for the place vacated by military force at the disposal of the Gilate Parm. 8th Jan. The French Tabers comment variously upon the death of Tew-Morrison, whose succession of poor scores lik Paths, the Khedive. The majority of

form and it is to be trusted that he will Others contend that France must relac the present occasion to re-open the Egyptian Berlin, 8th Jan. - The German papers toforring to the death of the Khediva acquiesce in the probability of prolonged occupation of Egypt by Great Britain. London, 24th Dec. Lord Carrington, referring to the recent specif by Lord

> Colonies, on the relations between the colunies and the Imperial Government. declares that although Lord Kautsford may be satisfied himself, there must be a change to the policy of the Colonial Office The Italian Government have conceded

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THE PARSES CRICERTERS IN GALCUITA. Calcutta, 7th January .- There was a large gathering on the Calmitia Uricket ground to-day to witness the match between the Parsees and Calcutta Unicket Club. The Parsees won the toss and batted first, making 204 runs. The largest contributors towards this total were D. D. Kanga, 68, and R. D. Cooper, 40. The Calcutta team, when play dessed for the day, had fost five wickets for lifty runs. Calcutta, 8th January,-The match between the Calcutta Cricket illub and the

THE DRATE OF THE MERCIPS. London, 12th January, -As enguly bas been opened as to the cause of the death of H. H. the Khedive of Egypt. The hative doctors employed are charged with making wrong diagnosis of the complaint, and with applying injections of morphis, which wore highly injurious. SIKIDA THERES.

Rangoon, Jan. 9. -The final draft agree. ment under the Sikkim-Thilet Convention CAPTURE OF SADON.

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